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Notice of Firm.

NOTICE.

TAR. MOVBRAY S. NORTHCOTE has been appointed Secretary vice (Mr. C. P. REMEDIOS, RESIGNED). By Order of the Board,

THE STEAM LAUNCH Co., 1D. Hangkong, December 8, 1892.

Banks.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

FIGHE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION. Rules may be obtained on application.

*INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of 2100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 41 PHR CENT. per

> For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F. DE BOYIS. Chief Manager.

Hangkong, August 1, 1891. ITHE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL,.....£1,000,000. MUBSCEIBED CAPITAL.....£ 500,000. HEAD OFFICE HONGRONG

Court of Directors. D. GILLIES, Esq. CHOW TUNG SHANG, CHANKII SHAN, Esq. Esq. W. WOTTON, Esq. CHOW TUNG SHANG, KWAN HOI UHUEN, Esq. Chief Manager. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Advisory Committee in London. THOMAS CARNICHARD, Esq., Mesers Dent, Paimer & Co. JOHN BUTTERY, Esq., Messrs John Buttery & O. O. B. STUART WORTLEY, Esq., Q.C., M.P. for Hellam.

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apply to the MANAGER. Hongkong, November 26, 1892. LIONCKONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION. RESERVE FUND...... \$ 3,300,000

PROP'TORS...... Sto,000,000, COURT OF DIRECTORS |--T. E. Davies, Esq.-Chairman. H, Hopping, Enq. - Deputy Chairman. Hon, James J. Bell | Julius Kramer, Esq.

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F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, September 28, 1802.

Hongkong, December 8, 1892.

Hongkong Denevolent society Under date Sept. 8th, 1891, Mr. Rill again writes:

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LOS and tell anyone what a splendid cough remedy they are.

THURSDAY, 22nd December, at Noon.

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VICTORIA REGATTA.

VICTORIA RECREATION OLUB their S.S. OORIVA at FLAGSHIP. The Cox-MITTEE request the pleasure of the Company of the LADIES of HONGKONG on Board on the 15rn and 16th INSTANT. The occa sion of the ANNUAL REGATTA. Through the Courtesy of Mr. GILLIES, the Pilot Fish will leave Pedder's Wharf on EACH DAY Admission to the Flagship free.

REFRESHMENTS obtainable on Board. A Portion of the Flagship will be reserved E. D. SANDERS, Hon. Secretary,

Hongkong, Desember 13, 1892. REGATTA HOLIDAYS.

N. MOALLE & Co., LIMITED. Foothore. | L. OFFICES will be CLOSED for the HEDGE & C. Shaneshan, LANE, CRAW- Transaction of Public Business at Noon, FRORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH, TO-MORROW and FRIDAY, the 15th

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co... General Agents, Canton Insurance, Office, Ltd.; General Managers. Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. N. J. EDE.

Secretary, Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd. W. H. PERCIVAL, North-China Insurance Co., Ltd. W. H. RAY, Secretary. China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd.

SHEWAN & Co... Agents, Yangtsze Insurance Association, Ltd. JAMES B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. WM. MAOBEAN,

Agent.The Straits Insurance Co., Ltd. The Straits Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., ——Singapore Insurance Company, Ltd. Hongkong, December 14, 1892.

REGATTA HOLIDAYS. Fill Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction Public Business at Noon, TO-MORROW. and FRIDAY, the loth and 16th Instant. For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and Chion,'

JOHN THURBURN. Manager, Hongkong. For the 'Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, T. H. WHITEHEAD. Managor, Howkong. For the !Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-

ing Corporation, F. DE BOVIS, For the 'Comptoir National d'Escompte de

L. GLENAT, Acting Agent, Hongkong. For the Bank of China, Japan, and the REAT PREPARATIONS have been made for the Straits, Ltd., Hongkong, S. L. DARBY,

p. Manager. For 'The National Bank of China, Limited." GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 14, 1892. 2177 BRITISH MERCANTILE MARINE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION.

THE Fifth Half-Yearly General MEET. ING of MEMBERS will be held in the New Rooms, No. 16, Praya Central, on THURSDAY, the 15th Instant, at 9 p.m. The Chair will be taken by Captain A. TILLETT, the President.

By direction of the Committee. CHESNEY DUNCAN. Secretary.

Hongkong, December 12, 1892.



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Bod and Breakfast 2.50 | (Bedroom extra) 20.00 Breakfast 0.75 Chinese Servants by the ay TRAMWAY TICKETS will be supplied to Residents and Visitoriat the Hotel at reduced rates.—For further Particulars, apply at the Company's Once, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, or to R. ISHERWOOD, Manager, Mount Ausn HOTEL. Hongkong, October 7, 1892.

HONGKONG HOTEL. will be CLOSED from to 3rd January, 1893.

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The TABLE D'HOTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every licacy.

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R. TUCKR, Manager. Hangkong, October 21, 1892.

PEAK HOTEL.

OPEN-ALL THE YEAR ROUND. I HIS Commodious and Well Appointed HOTEL, situated at a height of 1,250 feet above sea-level, having been LEASED by the Phoprietors of the "Victoria Hotel," is NOW OPEN and will be run in conjunction with their Horse in Queen's Road, thus the very best Anreserric Highly recomenabling them to offer special inducements mended by the Medical Filty.

to Visitors and Residents. SPECIAL WINTER RATES. The Kates for Board and Lodging during the WINTER MONTHS, from 1st November to 31st March, have been REDUCED as follows:---One person, one day \$ 2.50 Married couple, do. ... One person, one month 50.00 -Married couple, do. 85.00

Hongkong, October 25, 1892,

R. KNORE'S ANTIRINE "LION BRAND." (Dose fadults 15 to 35 grains troy) is the mosapproved and most Efficacious Reme in cases of HYADACHE, MIGRAINE, NEALGIA, REEU-MATISM, FEVER, TYPHT ERYSIPELAS. HOOPING COUGH, INFLUEA, DENGUE. and MANY OTHER COMPLETS. It is also Ask for Dr. Knorr's Lipyrine! Lion Brand. Each tin bearthe inventor's

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THURSDAY, 15th December, POSITIVELY LAST DAY OF SALE WALCOT'S COMBINATION POCKET KNIVES AND EMERY SHARPENING STONES. Front of CITY HALL. FORENOON and EVENING

USTIL 7 P.M. Hongkoug, Desember 13, 1892. THE JAPAN CHIKUSHI COAL

MINING COMPANY OF MOJI. HE Undersigned begs to inform the Public that a Steamer with the first LEATHER GOODS, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, TABLE class Japanese coal known as Hokoku may be expected hereabout Saturday next." Prices on application. Fitted DRESSING BAGS, JEWEL CASES, Decorative

JOHN ANDREW 5 Duddell Street. Hougkong, December 13, 1892.

DILIGENTIA LODGE OF

INSTRUCTION. Regular MEETING of the above LODGE wil be held on THURSDAY the 15th Instant, at 5.30 p.m. precisely. Hongkong, Doernber 12, 1892. 2176



Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY, the 16th Instan , at 4.30 for 5 p.m. precisely; also at 9.30 p.m. Visiting BRETHREN are condially invited. Hongkong, Defember 8, 1892.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE Short RANGE CUP will be Shot L for on SATURDAY, the 17th Instant Ranges, 500 and 600 yards. Time, 2.45 p.m. ED. ROBINSON, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, Detember 13, 1892. THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, MMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given, That the Ordinary General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the REGISTERED OFFICES of the Company, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Carrent, on WEDNESDAY, the Mat Just at 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers with a Statement of Acceptains for the year ending November 20. 1892. the Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 21st Instant to the 27th Instant, both days inclusive. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers.

Hongkong, December 8, 1892. IN THE SEPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN PIT-MAN, late of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and of Canton, in the Empire of China, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Honourable the CHIEF JUSTICE having, in virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 1870, made an Order limiting to the Sist December, 1892, the time for sending in CLAIMS against the said Estate. All Creditors are hereby required to

send in their CLAIMS to the Undersigned before the said dam. Dated the 9th day of November, 1892. BRUCE SHEPHERD,

Acting Registrar. THE STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-SINGAPORE.

TOTICE is hereby given that an Interim DIVIDENDAL the Rate of 5 PER CENT. per Annum bas, This Day, bo n declared by the Burd of Directors. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from 21st December, 1892. By Order of the Directors. WM. MACBEAN.

Hongrong Branch. Dangkong, December 9, 1892.

IMPERIAL ENGLISH and CHINESE DATE BLOCK.

T. J. & J. SMITH'S DIARIES. SHAKSPEARE CALENDARS. HUDSON & KEARN'S BLOTTING

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. A. G. GORDON will Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY,

THE FOLLOWING 2188 VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY,

comprising ;---ALL THOSE PIECES OF PARCELS OF GROUND situate at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, and being SECTION B and THE REMAINING PORTION OF INLAND LOT No. 724, as the same Premises are now held for the residue of a term of 999 years, from the 25th June, 1861, granted therein, subject to the payment of the Orown Rent payable in respect thereof, and the performance of the Crown Cove ante to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the

existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof (if any), ALL THOSE PIECES OF PARCELS OF GROUND situate at Victoria, aforesaid, and being SECTION A and THE REMAINING PORTION OF INLAND LOT No. 725. as the same Premises are held for the residue of a term of 209 years, from the 25th June, 1861, granted therein, subject to the payment of the Crown Rent payable in respect thereof, and the performance of the Crown Covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof (if any). ALL THAT PIECE OF PARCEL OF GROUND

situate at Victoria, aforesaid, and being INLAND LOT No. 727, as the same Promises are held for the residue of term of 99 years, from the 20th June 1831, granted therein, subject to the payment of the Crown Rent payable in respect thereof, and the performance of the Crown Covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof (if any). ALL THAT PIECE OF PARCEL of GROUND

situate at Victoria, aforesaid, and being INLAND LOT No. 728, as the same Premises are held for the residue of a term of 999 years, from the 25th June. 1861, granted therein, subject to the payment of the Crown Rent payable in respect thereof, and the performance of the Orown Covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing Lettings and Tenancies thereof (if any).

The Premises will be SOLD in One Lot The Sanction of the Government has been obtained for the erection of Kerosine Godowns on all the above Premises. For further Particulars and Conditions

WOTTON & DEACON, 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong; A. G. GORDON.

Hongkong, December 5, 1892.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. THE following Particulars of SALE of CROWN LAND by Public Auction, to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 19th day of December, 1892, at 4 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command, G. T. M. O'BRIEN, Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

Hongkong, 3rd December, 1892. 2170 Particulars of the Lotting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 13th day of December, 1892, at 4 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of

75 years.

Particulars of the Lot. Boundary Measure-Locality. ments. ft. ft. ft. ft.

Hung-hom Inland 115 90 50 55.10 5,125 48 718 No. 201 liom For Sale.

FOR SALE. THE GOOD S.S. PEKIN and S.S.

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FOR SALE. TYUO DE MONTEBELLO CHAMPAGNE \$26 per case, 6 Magnums, (Dry). 6 do. (Extra dry). 12 Quarts, (Dry).

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CLARETS. \$6 to \$42 per case of 1 dozen Quarts. FRENCH BEER, WHITE WINES.

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TO LET. TYOUSES in KNUTSFORD TERRACE, Kowloon. Apply to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hougkong, November 1, 1892.

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOODHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship Hailoong. Captain ROACH, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 15th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co,, General Managers. Hongkong, December 14, 1892.

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.) The Steamship *

Pembrokeshire,
Captain F. Geber, will
be despatched as above For Freight or Passage, apply to

Horgkong, December 7, 1892. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY. Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN), and GENOA; all MEDITERRANBAN, ADRIATIO, LEVANTINE and South AMERI-CAN PORTS, up to CALLAO. Taking Cargo

and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.,

The Co.'s Steamhip Captain Brown, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant.

Hongkong, December 9, 1892, SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON, HAMBURG AND ANTWERP. The Steamship

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, December 9, 1892.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KORE. The Steamship

The Steamsnip.
Trings.

Captain Attasen, will be despatched on the 24th

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Port Adelaide, Capt. Jameson, will be despatched as above on

Hongkong, December 13, 1892.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Ma

Intimations.

SINGING AND PIANO. CIGNOR CATTANEO, having returned from Europa, has pleasure in inform-

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hougkong, December 10, 1892,

the 17th December, 1892, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the Premises .-

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

on or about THURSDAY, the 15th Inst. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

(FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.)

at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD. The Steamanip

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will be despatied as above on SATURDAY, the 17th Intent, at At Bombay the Steamers are disharging D VICTORIA DOCK. For further Particulars regarding Freight

Hongkong, December 12, 1892, 2171 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SURZ DANAL.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Glamorganshire,
Capt. D. Davies, will be
despatched as above on or about FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, December 13, 1892.

or about FRIDAY, the 30th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Oo.,

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.J. Norw. Barque AASE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have louick despatch.

Hongkong, November 11, 1892.

ing the Community, that he will be in a position to RESUME TEACHING in a few MESSER KELLY & WALSH. Hongkong, December 6, 1892.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 19th to the Sist Instant, both days inclusive, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Agents.LIMITED. SINGAPORE. o'clock p.m. TO LET. Queen's Road. Apply to

Notices to Consignees. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. PEMBROKESBIRE, FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONO & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 p.m. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 20th Instant will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 20th Inst., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th Inst., at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Hongkong, December 13, 1892. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE Company's S.S. Copack having Consignees of Cargo are hereby inkong & Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Instant, or they will not be recognized. Hongkong, December 9, 1892. To Let. TO LET. NOTICE. For Particulars, apply to TO LET. No. 4, Blue Buildings. MELBYE & Co.) LAPRAIR & Co.'s Offices). GAF. Very cheap rental. Kowkoon. LIQUIDATION. No. 10, OLD BAILEY. Apply to No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD (lately occu-OFFICES in No. 4, PRAYA CENTRAL pled by ATAUK). (lately occupied by Mesers. GILMAN & Co.). No. 3, PEDDER'S HILL. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, November 10, 1692. To-day's Advertisements.

TO-NIGHT TO-NIGHT! AT WEST POINT, 9 P.M. NEW REVELATIONS Keep your eyes open, for we shall startle your Equilibrium with a sensation. ARMSTON . & GRAND CIRCUS, HIPPODROME and MENAGERIE. OUR NEW PROGRAMME. THE FAMOUS FEELEYS IN NEW ACTS. LITTLE AMELIA AND JOHNNY. THE GRAND VAULTING. during which Dan Fooley and Gilbarto, t accomplished Acrobats, will perform DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., DOUBLE SOMERSAULTS. THE AMERICAN DONKEY. 40 GREAT ARTISTS appear nightly.
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To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, FOR MANILA VIII AMOY. Captain Dono, will he despatched TO-MOR-ROW, the 15th Instant, at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passago, apply to Houghoug, December 14, 1892. OBINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, FOR QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY TO-NIGHT ! R. INNES, Commander, above on THURSDAY, the 22nd Inst., at The attention of Passengers is directed The Child Wonders-Graceful and Protty. to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines: Second-class Passengers are borthed in the Poop. A Reirigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the Ten Dollars will be given to any Person entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is who can ride him three times around the For Freight or Passage, apply to Houghoug, December 14, 1892. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES STEAM FOR HOIHOW & HAIPHONG. Children Half-price to all parts of the Unicus. Box Office for Soats at KELLY & WALSH'S. Acting Manager. on TUESDAY, the 20th Instant, at 3 p.m. VIVID ILLUMINATED SKETCHES OF THE GREATEST WARS OF THE SCENES OF THE LATE TERRIPLE Will be OPENED from the 17th INST., at 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. DAILY on the Children under 10 years of age, ... 10 Soldiers and Sailors in Uniform...20 A. NAFTALY, Proprietor. CHINA AND JAPAN TELEPHONE TURING my temporery Absence from this Port, Subscribers and others are requested to NOTE that the Company's SHROFF IS NOT AUTHORISED to COL-

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FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL. The Co.'s Steamship Ningchow,
H. L. Allen, Com'nder,
will be despatched as Ningchow, above on FRIDAY, the 16th Instant, at 3 o'clock p.m.. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, December 14, 1892. FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship Nanyang,
Captain F. Schull, will
be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 16th Inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1892. SHTPPIN 1 ARIUVALS December 13 :-Tai Yick, German str., from Whampoa.

Taisang, British etr., from Whampoa. December 14:-As 1900, Japanese str., 1,521, H. Selck, Nagasaki Decerabor 9, General. -- MITSUI BISHI COLLIERY. Kweilin, British str., from Whampon.

Hangchew, British steamer, 999, Charles Derby, Wahu December 10, Rice.-Bur-TERFIELD & SWIRE. DEPARTURES. December 14:-Elektra. for Shanghai. Captain Galletti, will leave for the above Ports Natal, for Europa, &c. Benalder, for Kobe. Cito, for Whampha. Victoria, for Bangkok. St. Andrews, for Kutchinotzu. Triumph, for Touron. Chusan, for Hoihow. Mathilde, for Touron. Ocampo, for Macao and Sydney. Esmeralda, for Amoy. Pekin, for Amoy. CLEARED.

Nanshan, for Swatow. Hailoong, for Coast Ports. Apenrade, for Haiphong. Loo Sok, for Bangkok. Kweilin, for Shanghai. PASSENGERS.

Per Asagae, from Nagasaki, 1 European, and 6 Japanese. Per Hangchew, from Wuhu, 6 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Natal, from Hongkong : for Saigon, Mr and Mrs de Lanessan and maid, Mr and Mrs Joyeux, Messra Boukoure, G. de Lanesgara, Lagardy Amidons, Mr. Dominith, and 14 Uhinese ; for Singapore, Mr and Mrs Muir Drew, Mrs G. Chapman, Mr E. Kann, Mr and Mrs Kakata, Mrs L. Wong, Mr and Mrs S. Vais and 7 children, Mr and Mrs Mitchel, Mrs Green; for Colombo, Lord Cecil Maniers, Mc and Mrs Hurlburt, Messra J. Sampion and A. C. Fuller; for Calcutta, Mrs J. M. Jones. From Shang-hai; for Saigon, Madames Plankinston, and CONFECTIONERY, hai : for Saigon, Madames Plankinston, and Graves, Messra A, de Guerville, Chandler, and Green, Mr Corre, and Mr J. M. Minier; for Singapore, Ar S. Lannay and servant ; for Colombo, Mas Eurnass; for Marseilles, Messrs O. Davie, and Nicol. From Yokobama : for Saigo, Mr Boell and servant, Mr

Germain and sevant, Messrs H. Veaux, Monge, Miss Tesu; for Singapore, Messrs Galstaun, Meikl; for Marseilles, Mr Thompson, Mr and Mt MacNab, and 5 children, Messrs Kitchvio and W. Henning. From Kobe : for Saigo, Miss Kawaia Ko, and Mr Shimano; for Si gapore, Mr S. Yoshiso; for Marseilles, Mr tuengreau.

SHIPING REPORTS. The British stamer Hangehew reports: Had strong motoon and high sea through-

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS wil close:-For BANGKO .-Por Loo S kit 9.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 15th nst. For KOBE & OKOHAMA.-Per Pembroshire, at 1.30 p.m., on

Thursday the 15th inst. For AMOY &MANILA. Per Don Jud at 1.30 p.m., on Thursday, ly notifij. For SHANGEL

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day, thi7th inst. For SINGAPLE & LONDON .-Per Formosat 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 22 finst. For THURSEY ISLAND, COOKTOWN TOWNSLLE, BRISBANE, SYD-NEY &MELBOURNE. - (Supplementary gail, &c.) Por Chington Thursday, the 22nd inst. Begistron 3.15 p.m. Letters 3.30

MAILS BY MUNITED STATES PACKET.-The United Sie Mail Packet Gaelic will Instant, th Mails for Japan, San Franciscothe United States, Canada, Honolul Peru, &c., which will be closed asslows :--Retry ceases. Proffice closes, but Correspondencesy be posted on board the

Packet, & Late Fee of 10 cents extra

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MEMUS. FOR TO-MURROW. Shipping. Daylight. - Hailoung leaves for S'tow, &c. 5 p.m.—Sungkiang leaves for Manila, &c. Meetings.

5.30 p.m. - Meeting of Diligontia Lodge. 9 p.m.-Meeting of British Morcantile Marine Officers' Association. Amusements. 9 p.m.-Harmston & Sons' Grand Circus and Menagerie, at West Point.

Miscellaneous. Noon.-Local Banks close. Noon.—Insurance Offices close. Victoria Regatta. Goods per Oopack undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda FRIDAY, December 18 :-Noon.-Local Banks close. Noon. -Insurance Offices close. Victoria Regatta, 5 p.m.-Meeting of Perseverance Lodge. SATURDAY, December 17: 11 a.m.-Auction of Valuable Leasehold 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. -Wonderful Panorama on the Ground Floor, No. 2, Queen's Road Central. 2.30 p.m.—Harmston & Sons' Grand Circus and Menagerie at West Point. Monday, December 19 :-4 p.m. -Auction of Crown Land at. Hung-5.30 p.m.—Public Meeting in St. An-Transfer Books of the Canton Insurance

Office, Ltd., closed from this date to 31st Instant, inclusive. Exchange: Hongkons, December 14 On demand,

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The China Mail. HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1892.

at 8.05 p.m.

TELEGRAMS. (SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL') (Via Southern Line.)

PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE SHER. MAN SILVER PURCHASE BILL. London, 13th December, 1892.

In the U.S. Senate Mr Stewart introduced a motion to amend the Sherman Act by the establishment of free silver coinage and the issue of Tressury bonds based on ailyer deposits.

(From Singapore Papers.)

THE INDIAN COMMANDER-IN-CHIEFSHIP. London, December 1.-Major-General Sir George S. White, K.C.B., V.O., has been appointed Commander in Chief of

UGANDA. The British Government are despatching a Special Commissary with an escort to Uganda to report upon the present position of the country.

A REPORTED ROYAL BETROTHAL. London, December 3.—The report of the approaching betrothal of H. R. H. the Duke of York with Princess May of Teck is again revived and remains undenied.

(Penang Gazette). THE MONETARY CONFERENCE. London, November 27.—The American delegate submitted to the Conference proposals to establish an international agreement providing for the unlimited coinage of gold and silver into full debt paying money, fixing the ratio of metals and creating a uniform charge to the public for coining gold and silver.

(Special Telegram to the Straits Times.) THE SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

London, Dac. 2.—The news of the winding up of the Singapore Insurance Company has met with thorough approval in

LOCAL AND GENERAL PASSED SUEZ CANAL. DETWARD BOUND :- Exe: Oct. 11 (Douglas. 18; Cathay, 21; Harawood, Nov. 25; Bayern, Hankow, Kintuck, 29.

11; Dardonus, 18; Glengyle, Teucer, HOMEWARD ROUND :- Kostroma, Oct. 25; 25 ; Carmarthenshire, Dophne, 29. The M. M. Co.'s B. B. Melbourne,

the FRENCH MAIL of November 11, left Saigon on Monday, December 12, at 6 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, Dec. 15. packet brings replies to letters dospatched from Hongkong on Oct. 5. The P. & O. s.s. Verona, with the ENGLISH MAIL of Nov. 18, left Singapore on and may be expected here on or about far in excess of what, in our opinion, are Monday, December 19. This packet necessary or the Colony can reasonably afford brings replies to letters despatched to pay. from Hongkong on Oct. 13.

cisco for this port, vio Yokohama on Nov. 26.

The R. M. S. S. Empress of China left Vancouver for Hongkong via Yokohams, Kobe and Shanghai on Dec. 13.

about Dec. 15. left Singapore for this port on Dec. 12; the question of official salaries was concern-The D. D. R. s. s. Aglaia, from Hamburg,

'he s.s. Arratuon Apour, from Calcutta, official salaries to the scale in force in 1890 expected here on or about Dec. 20. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Dardanus left Singapore on Dec. 14, and may be

expected here on or about Dec. 21. The P. & O. s. s. Thibet left Bombay for this port on Dec. 9. Tue s. s. Arratoon Apear, from Calcutta, left Singapore for this port-yesterday.

THE O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Dardanus left Singapore this morning, and may be ex-

pected here on or about the 21st instant. Owing to want of space we are compelled to leave out our Share List. The only

alteration is : Povious, \$4. THE P. M. S. S. Peru, which sailed hence Nov. 19, and from Yokobama Nov. 29, arrived at San Francisco on the 13th just.

THE P. & O. s. s. Verona left Singapore for this port on the 13th inst., at 5 p.m., with the outward English mails, and is expected here about 5 p.m. on 19th inst.

THE B. M. S. S. Empress of China, Captain Archibald, left Vancouver on Tuesday morning, the 13th instant, for Hongkong via Yukohama, Kobe and Shanghal.

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HONGKONG REGATTA. The Regatta commences to-morrow after 100n. The Pilot Fish will leave Pedder's Wharf at 1.15 and 1.45 conveying spectators to the fingship of the V. R. C., the

steamer Ooriya. The three principal faces will be the Chairman's Cup, Garison Cup, and Hong Pairs. The former will probably be just won by Sanders new after a tight race with Manuk's crew. For the Garrison Cup the Naval crew is not the strong combination it was regarded last week, but while public favour in it must be shaken it is generally believed that there is nothing very strong to oppose it. If Sanders had a different No. 3 he might have a chance. Manuk is fancied by a knowing set but his bow mer are rather doubtful. The Hong pairs will also be a close fight, but if Duncan does not get tired out after the Chairman's and Garrison Cups, Lane, Crawford's pair ought to win. Stopani and E. Lammert are rowing well together, are game enough for anything, and may manage to snatch a victory which would certainly be popular.

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. The Legislative Council met this afternoon. H. E. the Governor, Sir William Robinson, presided, and there were also present : Hon. G. T. M., O'Brien, C.M.G., Colonial Secretary; Hon. A. J. Leach, Acting Attorney General; Hon. J.

H. Stewart Lockhart, Registrar General; Hon. N. G. Mitchell innes, Colonial Treasurer; Hou. F. A. Cooper, Director of Public Works; Hon. - R. Murray Rumsey, Harbour Master; Hon. C. P. Chater, Hon. T. H. Whitehead, Hon. Ho Kai, Hon. E. R. Belilios, and Mr. F. H. May, Acting Clerk of Councils. Absent: Hon. J. J. Bell Irring.

The Colonial Secretary handed in reports of proceedings of the Finance Committee. PROTEST BY THE UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS,

Mr Chater-I beg to lay on the table, in accordance with the notice given by my honourable friend who represents the Chamber of Commerce, a protest with regard to the Appropriation Bill for 1893 on behalf of the Unofficial Members.

His Excellency-Do you wish it to lie on the table?

Mr Chater-I wish it read. The protest, which was in the following erms, was read by the Clerk of Council:-We, the undersgood Unofficial Members f the Legislative Council of Hongkoug. both nominated and elected; desire to place on record our unanimous protest against the Appropriation Ordinance for 1893, en-

An Ordinante enacted by the Governor of Hongkong, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof, to apply a sum not exceeding Two millions Two hundred and Fify-six thousand Three hundred and Seventy-five I ollars to the Public Service of the Year 1893, numbered 2 of 1892 and published in the Sydney. Nov. 11; Camelot, Glengarry, Hongkong Government Gazette of the 3rd Radnorshire, 15; Cyclops, Moyure, instant as having been passed by this Hon-Priok, 18; Benvonne, 25; Soghalien, ourable Council on the 30th day of November, 1892, and as having been assented to by His Excellency the Governor, in the

name and on behalf of the Queen, on the 3rd day of December instant. We protest against the inclusion in that Ordinance, contrary to the unanimous votes and opinions of all the Unofficial Members of the Finance Committee and in the Committee of the Council, of large sums for the salaries of the Civil Servants of the Colony in excess of the amounts voted and approved by all the Unofficial Members in the Kinanse Tuesday, December 13, at 5 p.m., Committee and reported to the Council, and

We protest against the Colonial Secretary The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamship City of and the Official Members of Council voting Peking, with mails &co., left San Fran- in Committee of Council, and in Council on the third reading of the Bill, in support of votes for their own salaries in excess of the amounts approved by us in the Binance Committee as reported.

Members of Council are legally incapable of voting on questions in which they are directly pocuciarily interested. They are The P. and O. a. s. Java, from Bombay disqualified on principle and by the law of for this port, left Singapore on Dec. Parliament formally declared in a recent 8, and may be expected here on or case in England, and we protest and deblare that the votes of the Official Members of Council on the Appropriation Bill, so far as and may be expected here on or about ed, were null and void and of no effect: We claim that the amendments proposed

in Committee of Council for the reduction of left Singapore on Dec. 13, and may be were duly carried by a majority of legal votes; that the votes recorded against the amendments were null and void and ought not to have been counted and that the Appropriation Bill ought to have been reported and passed with these amenaments. For the reasons above given we formally and unanimously protest against the socalled Appropriation Ordinance for 1803 as published, and declare it not to have been

duly passed by this Honourable Council and not to be law. Dated Hongkong, this 13th day of December, 1892.

His Excellency-Is it addressed to the Secretary of State ? Mr Chater-Itas handed in to the Coun-

cil. It will be followed by a further letter to the Secretary of State. We must first protestin the Council.

INCREASED RATING FOR KOWLOON. The Colonial Secretary-I beg to move the resolutions standing in my name for increasing the rates at Kowloon Point and Yaumati. Honograble members will remember that our supplementary vote is taken this year for gas equipment and plant at Kowloon and so on, and lo the estimates for 1893 you will find an item of \$3000 to be applied for this cost of get. It is now proposed to rate those districts which will benefit by the gas, to impose upon them the usual percentage for lighting which is imposed in the heart of the City.

The Colonial Treasurer, in seconding, thought no objection would be raised by the residents in the districts. THE LOAN BILLS.

The Coloniel Pressurer-I have the honour to bring up for first reading a Bill

entitled An Ordinance to declare the terms and conditions applicable to Loans suthorised to be raised by the Goverament of Hongkong and to provide for the creation of Inscribed Stock.' This Ordinance does not appear to be one which we should reasonably expect to lead to debate. It prescribes the manner in which inscribed stock is to be raised should that method be decided upon for raising a loan. It has been drafted in England upon an approved model, and I trust this Council will find it unnecessary to make many if any alterations upon it. It presupposes a desire for a lean in the Colony. and that that desire does exist I have little doubt. The Honourable member who represpeech on 13th October, 1890, expressed himself as follows :- The finances of the Colony may be regarded as fairly satisfactory, but economy is necessary in view of the extra military contribution, the almost certain decrease in opium revenue, and the considerable increase in the salaries of officials, which latter I think the public will be very glad the Secretary of State has sanotioned, in view of the fact that this greater efficiency in the different departcellency, one which is somewhat unjust | 1 towards the present ratepayers and should be provided for by means of a loan. Future generations will derive as much pay its fair share towards them. of the Finance Committee dated 21st March, 1892, the wording of which as far as I can becertain appears to be somewhat misleading. Speaking for the half of that Committee, and I believe I may say for the whole of it, we had no intention of committing ourselves to anything beyond an expression of opinion that looking to the balance of assets remaining at the time and the comparatively small deficit to exist at the end of 1892 a loan did not appear necessary for the service of that year; but we fully recognised the fact that in future years large deficits might be expacted and we only deprecated borrowing so long assufficient revenue could be obtained from ordinary sources plus the proceeds from the sale of land at reasonable prices to meet the expenditure on approved public works. That we have reached the the present Bill. point at which a loan is desirable is, I think, adificvident. The balance of our assets is exhausted. Our expenditure at the end desire to say what I have to say. of the year will be three lakhs beyond what is derived from the revenue. That this is no extraordinary state of affairs in the finances of the Culony is evident from the report which I prepared for the Committee appointed to consider the advisability of raising a public loan. In 1883 the balance of expenditure over revenue was \$27,000; in 1884. \$402,000 in 1885, \$302,000; in 1886, \$618,000; in 1887, \$440,000; in 1888, \$274,000. 1889 and 1890 there was a balance of revenue over expenditure due to the fact Administration granted in the United a revenue might before the Governing Body the names satisfactory, I think, if you made an understant opion was bringing us in a large third times; and the Bill entitled 'An Ordinance to amen't the Modical Registration one single word. He also observed that I shall be gled to bring I to make an injunction. It would be more before the Governing Body the names satisfactory, I think, if you made an understant opion was bringing us in a large third times; and the Bill entitled 'An Ordinance to amen't the Modical Registration one single word. He also observed that with Hongkong, who may be desirous of siderable sympathy with you, because I with Hongkong, who may be desirous of siderable sympathy with you, because I Works had fallen off considerably. In 1891, the revenue derived from opium fell. and the expenditure on public works and the balance of total expenditure over revenue was in that year \$423.000. At the end of this year estimate it will be \$315,000. On the other hand the balance of revenue over ordinary expenditure is-In 1883, \$152,000: in 1884, none; in 1885, \$172,000; in 1886, \$207,000; in 1887, \$304,000; in 1888, \$256,000; in 1889, \$519,000; in 1890 \$493,000; and last year, \$157,000. Thi year it is estimated we have a balance revenue over ordinary expenditure. \$268,000. It thus appears that our deficits at the end of the year are not due to our ordinary, but entirely to our extraordinary public works. If we wish, and I think there can be little doubt that Colony does wish to carry out to the end the extraordinary public works we have in contemplation. and which will be for the improvement . the Colony, I.do not see how this Colony is to avoid following the example set by meat civilised nations of borrowing money. The prospective increase to our revenue these facts and to repair as far as I could ducement for proceeding with them rapidly, had received through the action and state. for they suggested no alternative. Third and for this purpose it is eminently desir- ments of the unofficial members. Had I there was the abolition of the second able that as little time as possible should be not done so to the best of my humble ability | Magistrate. The motion was withdrawn, lost in arranging the necessary prelimina. I should have consulted my own ease and Fourth, the reduction of the vote for the The Bill itself, in Section 2, and my desire to avoid hunting the suscep- Volunteers by one half was asked for by etates that the Governor may icane Inscribed i tibilities of the unofficial members, but I one member, and the motion was not Stock. If he decide to do so, Section & pro- should have failed in my duty. Since then seconded. These, Sir, were all the other wides that such stock shall be esseed by the the matter has been very fully discussed in reductions asked for in Committee of Council. Crown Agents, and by Section 5 is will be the local press, and it must be a gratifies. In the Finance Committee the hon, member redeemable within fifty years. In Sec. tion to this Council and to all who represents the Chamber of Commerce strain Frederick A. R. Alesser and Gustav tion 6 interest will be payable half-yearly take an intelligent interest in the moved for the abolition of the office of Assist- Atzenroth, trading as Sheele and Co., and a Sinking Fund of 1 per cent. pro- welfare of the colony to find that ant Harbour Master. His motion was not Stanley Street, from taking proceedings in rided for, proposed to commence at such the position which I andeavoured to seconded. He also moved for the abolition the Courts in Canton and Kwangtung these proceedings, whatever they are in the time as shall be decided upon. The first establish remains not only secure but of the Registrar General's Department in against them to recover a sum of \$401.35 Chinese gamens, should not be carried any sub-section of Section 7 enacts that practically unassailed. Leaving on one toto and the reduction of the salaries of the alleged to be due for good supplied to the further, and that you will instruct the Gerif the price of the Inscribed Stock be side a good deal of personal abuse of department by one half only, a somewhat bankrupts. The matter ind already been below par at the time when the con myself which has no bearing on the question, hastily-conceived proposition which natur- twice before the Court. tributions are received the Crown not even an attempt has been seriously ally found no seconder. These were the Agents shall, if practicable, purchase made to traverse my arguments or to chall only motions for reduction made in Finance in which the bankrups are applying I do not care what their condition may be, therewith the Inscribed Stock in the lenge the accuracy of my figures. I had put Committee in addition to those which were for injunction to restrain Mesars Schoole And besides there is something in the market and shall cancel in the register it generally that the general indications made in Committee of Council. Thus it will and Co. proceeding against them in conduct of the bankrupts themselves which the stock so purchased. By the word pointed to the condition of the community, be seen that theonly real reduction asked for the Courts at Canton, and in which price by the price of the part of the steadily increased, that up to that date it were manimous, so much so indeed motion. Mesers Scheele and Co are re- both sides that is what I would propose to 100 per, it might not always be to our had more than sufficed to meet the ordinary that one member who was absent wrote to sident in this Colony, and have proved advantage to purchase it even though it expenditure of the colony, and that for 1893 say that he would vote for it without their debt against the bakrupts and re- suggestion. did fall below par. If Inscribed Stock is the very cautious and moderate estimate of having heard or waiting to hear a single ceived a dividend on it. After doing that Mr. Hastings-It is not simply that they issued it is probable it will always be below revenue showed a surplus ever the page and it is probable it will always be below revenue showed a surplus ever the page and it is probable it will always be below revenue showed a surplus ever the page and it is the must not go on with these proceedings, but par. By Section 9 all expenses of or large estimate of ordinary expenditure for As I have already had occasion to state, Courts of the Heungehm Dietrict of that they must withdraw them formally. incidental to the management of the that year. That was a statement which sinking Fund, or to the repayment of the it was my duty to make, and that statement of some £500) a year. In these circumstant the bankrupts on wreat, but have Lordship suggested. principal moneys borrowed shall be paid the Council will be glad to find remains out of the Sinking Fund. These expenses, absolutely unshaken. It has in fact reso far as I am aware, are nominal. The ceived some corroboration from the fact Grown Agents' commission on loans, as that as regards the only branch of our fixed by the Secretary of State, is } per trade which we have any direct means cent on the issue and repayment, of measuring that portion of our plus 1 per cent which it is customary to trade with China which comes under the notice allow for tenders made through brokers, of the Commissioner of the Imperial Chinese There is also per cent for the payment of Maritime Customs-the returns show that interest. The Secretary of State in laying | there has been a decided increase, and down this errangement stated he under- also by the fact that it is a matter of comstood it compared favourably with the mon notoriety that if our proposed loan charges of leading bankers for like services. | were offered locally the whole of it would be By Section 10 the Governor may make readily taken up on the spot. The hon. application to have existing loans converted member who represents the Chamber of into Inscribed Stock. Section 11 permits | Commerce may perhaps recollect that I also the large of extra stock to such an extent observed that I was almost tempted to askas will, when added to say \$100 of 31 per cent Inscribed Stock standing at 93, enable | whether the hon, the Colonial Secretary is it to be exchanged for £100 of 4 per in order. Is he speaking to anything in the cent debentures at 103. Section 16, it order of the day? be observed states that 'nothing in this Ordinance shall prevent the rais. has been disposed of, but he is quite in redness and roughness of the skin, soothes farms and conditions as shall be specified in any Ordinance authorising the raising of such losps. With these remarks I have saying, Sir, that the Hou, member who warranted free from any lead or mineral the henour to move the first reading of the

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the first reading of the Bill. OTHER BUSINESS. The Bill entitled 'An Ordinance to amend the Merriage Ordinance, 1874 passed through Committee and was read second time; the Bill entitled 'An Ordinance to provide for the recognition in Ordinance, 1884' was left in Committee. THE COLONIAL SECRETARY 'ON THE WARPATH AGAIN." MESSES CHATER AND WHITEHEAD QUIT THE Council more than a few minutes. the Council with all possible courtesy, still certain allegations having been made in Finance Committee and at the meeting of Council which were not justified by facts and which were eminently calculated to prejudice the credit of the colonyiat a singularly inopportune juncture. it was my imperative public duty to state

Dr Ha Kai-Sir, I do not know

journment of the Council.

The Golonial Secretary seconded.

The first reading was agreed to.

The Colonial Secretary seconded.

The Colonial Treasurer I beg to move and my impression that the reasons for their the first reading of a bill envisled action were different from those estensibly An Ordinance for raising the sum of advanced has been strengthened by the £200,000 by loan for the purpose of do consideration of the persistency with which, fraying the cost of certain Public Works.' in connection with this question of the There will probably be a considerable dif- reduction of Salaries, he has adverted to ference of opinion as to the relative merits what he is pleased to term the unfortuof horrowing in gold and in silver, nate mistake committed by your Exceland as to the amount to be derived lenoy in not acceding to the proposal by our Sinking Fund being invested for the appointment of a retrenchat a low rate in gold-using, or at a ment committee. He adverted to it higher one in silver-using countries. in Finance Committee, he recurred to it in With regard to the latter I think it very im- speaking to the same motion in committee probable that the Secretary of State would of Council, and I can only infer that there allow the Colony to invest in any other is some connection, not very apparent at species of funds than that in which it first sight, between the two motions-I a copy of a letter which was addressed was permitted to invest on the last occasion. mean his motion for the appointment of to your Excellency by him on the 6th Feb-With regard to the relative merits of gold a retrenchment committee and the motion reary last, No. 53), and of the printed here? and silver I am fully alive to the disad. for the reduction of salaries-and that ventage of borrowing in one metal while in- if the former had been granted the latter ed it, giving full information respecting from the Court, but I am prosecuting for terest and sinking fund are accumulating would not have been made. It is diffi- the nature of the space in the Imperial Inin another, and if there was no counter- cult to understand the position of the stitute Buildings preliminarily allotted for balancing advantage there would be little unofficial members of Council, that the the reception and display of specimens of sents the Chamber of Commerce in his difference of opinion as to which metal to financial condition of the Colony was such | the produce of Hongkong. adopt. But the counterbalancing advant- as required the immediate reduction of age is the lower rate at which we can bor- certain salaries. Either this was the case row in England as compared with here, and or it was not the case. If it was the honourable members if they will work the case it was the hon, member's duty to move figures out will see that if the difference or support a motion for reduction of salaries amounts to 1 per cent we will gain steadily amongst other measures, and your Exceluntil the dollar drops to 5d below its price leney's refusul to accede to his previous at the time of the issue of the loan. As motion could in no way absolve him from it. regards paying off our loan and the loss | On the other hand, if it was not the that might occur it must be remembered ease. I fail to see how he could that our paying off is effected by a Sicking be justified in injuring the credit Fund of I per cent per annum, and to last of the colony merely because your over fifty years. That is what would be Excellency had declined to accept tauce and usefulness of the Imperial In- Mr Abesser-The Chinaman who transaffected by any future or large drop in the his previous motion. No amount of inincrease will or should be an incentive to dollar. It has also to be remembered that vestigation by a retremembered that vestigation because the property of the buildthe purchases we have to make in England | could alter the facts of the financial position. | ings has been (informally) thrown open, have to say. Will you be good enough to from the Crown Agents are not in allver These facts it was perfectly easy for him to over 3,000 persons many of them being of |go into the witness bex? ments. The extraordinary public works but in gold. It thus appears that we have ascertain for himself. I am reluctant to considerable political and social standing. Mr Abesser gave his evidence from which expenditure is. I think with your Ex- to weigh the possibilities of a large credit that he had not taken the trouble have become Fellows of the Imperial it appeared that he had received the proprospective loss which might equally to ascertain them, or that in spite of Institute. Certain of the greater Colonies missory notes from his compradore and that of India. be a large prospective gain, as having ascertained them he was satisfied have formed so high an opinion of the he had instructed the German Consul at against the certainty of considerable less if to prejudice the credit of the colony usefulness to their Communities of due Canton to take proceedings against the borrowing in silver in the Colony. For out of pique because of your Excellency representation at the Imperial Institute bankrupts. these reasons I am in favour of borrowing declining to accept his previous applica- that their Governments have already made in gold, and if it is decided upon then for | tion. It would give me very great special Votes of money to be applied not examination of the witness, said—Supposing English feeling that some hostile demonbenefit from these public works as the the reasons given by the Crown Agents we pleasure if he could suggest any alternation of carefully arrange you had obtained a dividend on your debt stration would be made. present taxpayers and I heartily agree with should adopt the proposal to issue Intive explanation, but at the present moed and classified collections, but also to the of 50 per cent would you have still enforced to the proposal Stock of 31 per cent us the best would be proposed to the proposal to issue Intive explanation, but at the present moed and classified collections, but also to the of 50 per cent would you have still enforced to the proposal to issue Intive explanation, but at the present moed and classified collections, but also to the of 50 per cent would you have still enforced to the proposal to issue Intive explanation, but at the present moed and classified collections, but also to the of 50 per cent would you have still enforced to the proposal to issue Intive explanation. acribed Stock of 31 per cent as the best ment I am unable to place any other payment of a skilled Curator and the the whole of these promissory notes against method. The Sinking Fund is proposed to construction upon his statement. What necessary Assistants at the Institute, and the debtors at Canton? I wish to refer for a moment to the report be deferred for three years as the public I complain of is his misstate nent of to the purchase of suitable Show Cases, works will not be at once productive. I the financial position of the colony, and I &c. for the reception and display of such it the proper thing to do so. bog to move the first reading of the Bill. offer this opportunity for an explana- collections. tion and disclaimer, and I hope he Hon. T. H. Whitehead-Sir, I zise to will avail himself of it. If at the same move that this Bill be read this day three time be will go a little further and saymonths. I do so on the following grounds. now that it has been shown that the financial Hongkong are to be represented at the The Colonial Secretary-Sir, I rise to a position of the Colony does not require the Imperial Institute, it is highly desirable point of order. I believe it is unusual reduction of salwies that he regrets that that the space allotted to it should not be here, as it is fortainly unusual in the motion was made, it would be a graceful House of Commons, to oppose a Bill on act on his part, and I would venture to say, powerfully drawn to the Collections as it knowing something about the partie who papers. He refrained, however, from menthe first reading. The first reading is a Sir, that it would be only becoming and will be by their official opening to the give them. It has got something to do tioning names, but said that one hundred more matter of form, the intention of proper. (A pause.) My hon, friend-

which is to give honourable members due! Mr Chater (interrupting)-The business notice of the provisions proposed to be in- of the Council being finished, I will ask troduced into a measure. It is usual to your Excellency to permit me to retire, defer any opposition to the measure till the Mr Whitehead-I also desire your Exsecond reading. I think it would be cellency's permission to retire. Meners Chater and Whitehead then left more convenient if the honograble member were to follow the usual course in respect to I the room. The Colonial Secretary (continuing)-My Mr Whitehead-I have very little to say, hon, friend the senior unofficial member in and with your Excellency's permission I his reply to my speech in Committee made | derick Abel should be authorised by telesome endeavour to show that the revenue had gram to purchase Show Cases such as those His Excellency-It would certainly be fallen away. For the purpose of his com- indicated in the photographs forwarded to out of order. You will be able to say it parison he went to further back than 1891, you by him (the cost of which would not that the debt was for goods, due to your on the 28th. It is simply a formal matter and us the revenue for the current year exceed £100), and that, before February firm? has of course not yet been ascertained he next, he may receive a collection of compared the ascertained result for 1891 with samples of the local industries, with other that the compradors owed us the amount the estimate for 1892. If he will have a exhibits, for display therein; and also a for goods. I cannot say exactly what I very little patience he will see the fulfil- sum of money (not exceeding £25) to be told him without my books. I gave my ment of my statement that the revenue for devoted to the remuneration of an experi- instructions by letter to the German Con-1892 will exceed that for 1891, as that for | euced Officer, whom the Executive Council | sul at Canton. 1891 expecded that for 1890, and as 1890 of the Institute will provide, to place the the Colony of Pr. bates and Letters of exceeded 1889, which in its turn produced. Collection in order. Administration granted in the United a revenue largely in excess of that of any I may add that I shall be gled to bring to make an injunction. It would be more its disposal. besides demanding the immediate reduction becoming Fellows of the Institute. The standard scheme of increase in 1891 the man the general scheme of increase in 1891 the Memorandum which, together with a who pays only 7 per cent. But it is En. Hast Africa Company on the 31st of Memorandum which, together with a who pays only 7 per cent. But it is En. Memorandum description of the immediate reduction of Uganda by the British who pays only 7 per cent. But it is En. Memorandum description of the immediate reduction of the interferonce in the reduction of Uganda by the British who pays only 7 per cent. But it is En. Memorandum description of the immediate reduction of Uganda by the British who pays only 7 per cent. But it is En. unofficial members asked for the reduction of other items also, and that the total of the reductions asked for amounted to a considerable sum. But what are those other reductions which have been asked for? The Colonial Secretary—Sir, the order of First there was the abolition of the vote for the day having been disposed of, I beg to cadets' salaries. This was obviously asked move the adjournment of the Council, and I | for by way of protest against the Segretary will take the opportunity to make a brief of State who had appointed a gentlestatement which will not detain the man who was not a order to the post In of Gaol Superintendent. They must have cell ney's obedient Servan speaking to the Supply Bill in Committee known that the payment of the saobserved that while it was my desire laries of cadets was quite unavoidable, to treat the unofficial members of and that they could not possibly succeed in opposing it. In fact the hon. Senior unofficial member himself stated that if your Excellency would give a certain undertaking they would agree to the vote, thereby cearly showing that their objection was not to the vote itself. Second, there was the abolition of the vote for the Audit Department. This must also be regarded more as a mere expression of from the works referred to is an extra in- the injury which the credit of the colony disapproval than a serious proposition,

> ter of regret that the motion for immediate rupts are unable to go on with their busi- with that. reduction of certain salaries was made. ness. With these observations I beg to move the adjournment of the Council. The Council adjour ned to the 28th instant. MA, said a newspaper man's son. know why editors call themselves we. Why?' So the man that doesn't like the article will think there are too many people his Lordship had power under the Orfor him to tackle." DE TREES TEOLUTILY CURED, -A Gentleman who cured himself of Dealness and Noises in the Head of 14 years' standing by a new method, will be pleased to send full particulars free.

Address HERBERT CLIFTON, 8, Shepherd's place,

Kennington Park, London, S.E., Eng. ROWLANDS' KALYDOB .- A soothing; cooling, emollient milk for the skin. It pre-His Excellency-No, the order of the day vents and removes freckles, tan, minburu, of loans in Hongkong under such order in masking to the motion for the ad- and heals stings of insects, eczems, prickly heat, and all irritations, produces soft skin The Colonial Secretary (resuming) I was | and a lovely delicate complexion. It is represents the Chamber of Commerce may ingredients, and is perfectly harmless to perhaps recollect that I also observed that the most delicate skin. Bottles 2s. 8d. and I was almost tempted to ask whether the i 4s. 6d. Ask for RowLANDS KALTDOR, of unofficial members were really in earnest, 20, Hatton, London.

HONGKONG AND THE IMPERIAL davits or to give evidence?? INSTITUTE. The following communication was laid

before the Legislative Council by command of His Excellency the Governor at the meeting this afternoon :--proved in bankruptcy? IMPERIAL INSTITUTE OF THE UNITED RING Mr Abesser—Yes.

DOM, THE COLONIES AND INDIA. IMPERIAL INSTITUTE ROAD. London, S.W., 28th October, 1892.

Sin .- Sir Frederick Abel, the Secretary of the Imperial Institute, has shown me matter, photographs, &c. which accompani-

In view of it being understood that Hor Majesty The Queen, who laid the Foundation Stone in 1887, will formally open the Imperial Institute in May or June next, I take the opportunity of urging upon your proceedings? Excellency the importance of immediate action in order to secure a representation of the resources of the Colony at the time

In order that your Excellency may be course, you will have to give up for the borough. acquainted to some extent with the impor- benefit of the creditors generally. stitute. I may mention that, although up to ferred the notes to us owes us money.

I trust that your Excellency and your Government and Legislature will agree that if the resources of the Colony of unoccupied when public attention is so public by the Queen, and be the Ceremonies connected therewith.

It will be recollected that the Hongkong Court attracted great attention at the Colonial and Indian Exhibition of 1886, and that it is important that the Colony should be also permanently represented in did not say to the Consul These people a similar manner at the Institute.

I would venture to suggest that Sir Fre-

pamphlet descriptive of the Institute, be forwarded to you by SirFrederick Abel. In conclusion, I would only add that the warm interest which I shall always feel in all projects calculated to promote the welfare and increase the contation of Hongkong will at once explain and justify my

addressing your Excellency on this subject. I have the honour to be, Sir, Your Ex-G. F. BOWEN, Representative of Hongkong

on the Governing Body of the Imperial Institute. To Bis Excellency The Governor, Hong-

> SUPREME COURT IN BANKBURICY.

His Honour Mr Nelding Clarks Chief Justices Wednesday, December 14.

THE PURSUIT OF BANKRIPTS IN UNINA. Mr Hastings, who appeared on behalf Lo To Shan and Ho Yuk Dhi, came before the Court applying for an ojunction to re-

Mr Hastings said—this is a case stances I cannot but think that it is a mat- not been able to do so yet and the bank-

> His Lordship-What buiness? Mr Hasting's-One is a liver in a foreign unable to return to his nitive country on account of this warrant. Mr Hastings Reports in support of his contention that dinance of 1884. He proceeded-I subfor your Lordship to exerce your jurisdican action is brought it wold be an expensive and troublesome mattr.

by the defendants? Mr Abesser appeared interson. His Lordship-You see that its alleged; fled, so that, if necessary, it can be referred

that, substantially you ad your partner to. have been recovering or stempting to recover in the Court of Chis a debt which would be to adjourn for a week, on the you have proved in this Cony. Mr Abesser That is netrue, my Lord.

They have told a live

His Lordship-Do you wish to file affi-

His Lordship - That will be the prothe same debt in respect of which you

His Lordship-Perhaps the more formal way would be to file affidavits, but I do not know if it would be as satisfactory. Mr Abesser-I am prosecuting on promissory notes transferred by our compra-

dore to us. His Lordship-Have you got your books Mr Abessor-No. I got a dividend

His Lordship-They say that that \$400 was made up of two notes, \$250 and \$150, given separately. Mr Abesser-Yes; but not to us. They were transferred to us later on. Bis Lordship-We had better hear the facts. Do you thing you have any chance getting money out of them by these

Mr Abesser-Yes; because one is a part-

ner in a Canton firm and the other is to be a partner in a Hongkong firm. His Lordship-Anything you get, of

Mr Hastings, in the course of his cross-Mr Abeaser—Yes, I would have thought

Mr Hastings-Aithough you say, think, they were given for the same debt? Mr Abesser-I don't trouble myself with that, because it is nothing to me. His Lordship-Yes, yes; it is something to you. You are a business man, and you

know what promissory notes are given for. You don't take promissory notes without with you, surely. money, and he said 'I have two promissory

notes and I cannot get the money; please try to force them to pay.' His Lordship-You were not doing it for the compradore but for yourselves. You

Mr Abysser—No; it was on my own be-Mr Hastings-Did you tell the Consu

owe my compradore money; please try to

Mr Abesser-I said it was for goods:

glish law that if any man proves a certain amount he cleats to abide by the bankruptcy, and although we cannot stay procendings in the Chinese Courts we can exercise jurisdiction in this Colony, I am bound to administer the law as it is, and not in accordance with any feelings or sympathy I have on the subject; and, therefore, if it appears that this is your debt-if the correspondence with the Gorman Consul, the books of the firm and the evidence of the compradore all point to that conclusion.] would have no option but to grant an injunction. That is why I suggest an undertaking on your part not to proceed further. I suppose that would satisfy you, Mr Hastings, if Mesars Schoele and Co. undertake to withdraw all proceedings?

Mr Abesser-Can our compradore take

proceedings i His Lordship-I would say not He gets the benefit of your proof in the bankruptcy. If you get anything out of the bankrupts von would not be entitled to crease in taxation. keep ", y urselves if the debt is the same. and I cannot help thinking it is. You would have to hand over whatever you got for the good of the other creditors. I have no desire in a matter of this sort to go into your books and correspondence. I understand you may have been hardly used, and I do not wish you to incur any expense if I can prevent it; and I would suggest to you, and I would suggest to Mr Hastings, that he should accept your undertaking that give costs against Messrs Scheele and Co. in a case of this sort, because I have no sympathy with people who pay only 7 per cent : is not very astisfactory. They have got this Sub-Section A, I pro- taken as a whole, being sound and progress and maintained by the unofficial mem- your Lordship ordered noice of motion to the protection of the Court here and have is intended to mean the sive, and in particular I had shown that bers was the reduction of the 1891 be served upon Schoole and Co. That has left matters as they were for the last two the stock at the time the revenue instead of dwindling and increase of salaries. As to this they been done, and this is be return of the years. If my suggestion is satisfactory to do : at least. I cannot do it, but I make the

Mr Hastings-I will be quite satisfied

His Lordship--I think it is the best way, I cannot help thinking in some cases people goods shop in Canton and the other in a ought to know that when they come and foreign goods shop in Hogkong who is prove in a bankruptcy and agree to accept a dividend whether they got 99 per cent. which I know is exceedingly rare, or only 2 or then quoted from the Ordnances and Law 3 per cent., which I am sorry to say is exceedingly common, they must abide by it whatever it is. They cannot come and proceed in a British Court and then proceed mit that it is the more covenient course in the Courts in foreign countries, whather in China or elsewhere, which places credi- the American Delegates will submit their tion in Bankruptcy, rathe when sitting in tors in Hongkong at disadvantages. Peothe Chancery side of the burt, because if ple living in China would prove debts in ed at yesterday's sitting. Hongkong and go and enforce payment in China, and the same effect is not paid in Ohinese Courts to adjudication in bank-His Lordship More covenient for you ruptey as in other countries, which places (laughter). Are there are affidavits filed other oreditors at a disadvantage. Mr Hastings-I think that the terms of

the undertaking should be distinctly speci-

His Lordship-I think the best thing understanding that you receive an undertaking, and if the matter rests there will the federation are now either stopped or be no other order.

Mr Hastings asked that the undertaking should be filed in the bankruptcy proceed-

Mr Abesser-I would like to give evid- lings, and his Lordship assented. His Lordship (to Mr Abesser)—You will the course of which he advocated a Gold take my opinion that any proceedings by Standard for India. per course to pursue. You don't admit the your compradore will be liable to be stonact that this \$250, or whatever it was, is ped in the same way, and it would be a breach of your undertaking if you continued any proceedings on behalf of your comproduce, because your undert doing is that these proceedings will be withdrawn and that you will instruct the German Consul accordingly.

The Court then adjourned pro forma.

LATE TELEGRAMS. (Via Rangoon).

THE PRENCH PRESS LAW. Paris, November 21.—Notwithstanding M. Loubet's recent victory, the Chamber have voted an amendment to the Press Law which vitiates the measure and renders Government nearly as newerless as they were before,

IMPORT DUTIES AT ZANZIBAR. Londan, November 21.—After 1st February import duties on wine, opium, and tobacco will be imposed at Zanzibar.

The death is announced of the Verv Revd. Marsham Argles. Dean of Peter-

THE GARKWAR OF BARODA. London, November 22.-The Gackwar of Military honors. Her Majesty granted the Mahranee a private undience, and decorated her with the order of the Crown

THE CHANNEL SQUADRON. It is announced that the Channel Squadron will not pay its accustomed visit to the Tagus this year, owing to the anti-

THE PANAMA CANAL. London, November 21.—The summonses against the Directors of the Panama Canal. Company were served yesterday. Baron Reinach, one of the defendants in the case,

died yesterday of apoplexy. A tremendous scene was created in the Chamber of Deputies to-day on M. Delhaye, Boulangist Deputy, affirming in a long speech that the Panama Canal Company had spent millions in bribing Ministers, Deputies, Bankers and News M. Ammana Mr Abesser-The compradore owes us Delhaye demanded an enquiry into the Mr H. Boxshall matter, which was unanimously voted.

> THE OPENING OF THE REICHSTAG. Beran, November 22.—The Emperor William, in his speech on the opening of the Reichstag, declared his relations with Foreign Powers to be friendly, and hoped that Germany would remain undisturbed in her peaceful efforts to promote economic interests. The increase, his Majosty said, of the military power of other States, compels similar measures on the part of Germany, hence the necessity for the Mi-Aitary Bill lately introduced. His Majesty believes that the patriotism of the nation accepts the sacrifice.

EGYPTIAN SURPLUS. Cairo, November 22.—The Egyptian

Budget shows a surplus of four hundred His Lordship said—It strikes me that if and sixty thousand pounds sterling, but this is substantially your debt I will have the hands of Government are still tied as to Mr F. Hvass Capt. R. Innea THE RETENTION OF UGANDA. M. et Mme Joycaux Mr G. M. Wynter

London. November 24 .- The British Government have resolved not to interfere Murch, but to immediately despatch an | Capt. F. O. Blanco Mr Frank Harmaton Imperial Commissary there with sufficient Mr Geo. Burnott native escort to report on the situation and the best means of dealing with the

A TRIBUNAL OF ARBITRATION.

The Lord Mayor yesterday opened a Tribunal of Arbitration formed by the Miss Feeley London Chamber of Commerce and the Master Feeley. Corporation for settling the commercial Mr T. Feeley disputes upon the definite system of proce. Mr A. Fuller

OPENING OF THE ITALIAN PARLIAMENT. Rome. November 23.—King Humbert, in his speech at the opening of the Italian Parliament, said he continued to enjoy friendly relations with all the powers. His Majesty then said that the Triple Alliance continues its vigilant care to prevent any Mr H. Allen dissensions in Europe. As regards the Mr Beattie financial equilibrium in Italy, his Majesty | Mr S. L. Benjamin said it would be attained without any in. Mr Hart Buck

AFFAIRS IN KANDSHAT. Lordon, November 22,—The Turkestan Gazette narrates that envoys from the Khan of Kandshut recently arrived at Turkestan Mr J. B. Coughtrie Mr A. Ross to her material support against the British. and that General Vrewsky, the Governor, Miss Hogg refused absolutely to lend his support. Miss C. G. Hogg Any disturbance, he said, of the relations Mr E. S. Joseph between Russis and Great Britain, which together ruled half the globe, would entail frightful calamities to many millions.

NATIVE FEMALE EDUCATION IN INDIA. London, November 23. - Lord Kimberley vesterday received an influential deputation, including Sir W. W. Hunter, Sir W. Wedderburn, Dadabhai Naorojee, Justice Jurdine, besides several native ladies and gentlemen, to protest against the Bombay Government withdrawing its support from the Poons Native Girls School, and advocating increased support from Government for Female Education in India. His Lordship, in reply, promised to forward the memorial to the Government, and said the matter was a question of finance. He completely agreed with the speakers as to the extreme importance of encouraging Female Education in India.

THE PAMIES QUESTION. Although negotiations between England and Russia regarding the Pamirs are proceeding lavorably, a statement made at St. Petersburg that a settlement of the question is speedily expected is incorrect.

MONETARY CONFERENCE. Brussels, November 22.—The Monetary Conference was opened to day by the Bel. gian Premier who, in his address to the Delegates, said that the solution of the Silver Question lies in an international agreement such as regulates Telegraphs, Postseto. M. Levey, a Belgian Senator, was then elected President of the Conference. which was adjourned until Friday, when proposal. Eighteen States were represent-

M. FERDINAND DE LESSEPA. Pairs, November 23.-M. Ferdinand de Lesseps is so weakened by age that he will not be able to appear at the forthcoming trial of the directors of the Panama Canal Company of which he is at present ignorant.

THE LANCASHIER COTTON STRIKES. London, November 24.—The Masters Federation announces that eight-minths of the spindles belonging to the members of working half time,

THE INDIAN CURRENCY QUESTION. Mr J. L. Mackay yesterday addressed the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, in

THE MONETARY CONFERENCE The proceedings of the Brussels Conerence are expected to be slow, and it is not believed that any delegate possesses full powers, but that the great anajority.

including the British delegates, are in-

structed to hear all sides and report to

their respective Governments. PROVISION FOR AGED POOR. London, November 18.-A Royal Commission will shortly be appointed to consider the modification of the Poor Laws in favour of the aged and those powerless to work.

Bombay, Novembr 24.—The charges igainst Harry Stafford Boyts of cheating and forgery came before Mr Justice Farran and a special jury to-day. Twelve jurors were challenged before the composition was agreed upon, when seven Europeans and two natives were selected.

The prosecution elected to proceed upon the charges of chosting, and if they failed o prove these they would take up forgery. Mr Inversity opened the evidence. Mr Jardine made a spirited defence, but the jury, after 25 minutes absonce, returned a verdict of guilty on both counts. To this they added a recommendation of mercy on account of youth and the influence of

The Judge said he failed to see why they made the recommendation, but if being made he would take it into considerstion. The sentence would be two years" imprisonment on each count, the second term to follow the first.

EGYPTIAN AFFIIRS. Cairo. November 24. - Colonel Kitchener has returned here from Suskim whither he proceeded when Osman Digma threatened the place. A battalion of Egyptian troops.

sailed to-day for Snakim from Snaz. FRENCH ANNEXITION.

London, November 25.—The French have annexed the islands of St. Paul and New Amsterdam as a sel-off against the annexation of Aldabra by the British.

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